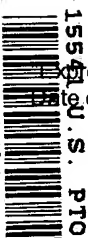


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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Ludwig Böge, Reiner Burgschat and Wolfgang Sachse for : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ATTACHING A SCALE ELEMENT. Enclosed are:

- ☒ 3 sheet(s) of drawings, 13 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : N/A.
- ☐ Declaration.
- ☐ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : _____.
- ☒ Certified copy of German Patent Application 102 29 885.8, filed July 3, 2002.

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